

GAU-2274
#5/A
PATENT
1-17-01
M.L.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Tao Ye et al.**

Application No.: **09/465,994**

Filed: **December 16, 1999**

Title: **METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR
IMPLEMENTING AN APPLICATION
LIFECYCLE DESIGN FOR APPLICATIONS**

Attorney Docket No.: **SUN1P507**

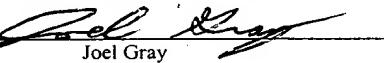
Examiner: **Unknown**

Group: **2784**



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on July 18, 2000.

Signed: 

Joel Gray

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits, please enter the following amendments:

-- Cross Reference to Related Applications

This application claims priority of provisional U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 60/143,428, filed July 13, 1999, entitled "JAVA TV API SPECIFICATION." --

RECEIVED
JUL 27 2000
TC 2700 MAIL ROOM

REMARKS

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,
BEYER WEAVER & THOMAS, LLP



Elise R. Heilbrunn
Reg. No. 42,649

P.O. Box 130
Mountain View, CA 94042-0130
(510) 843-6200